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LETTER DATED 1 MARCH 2000 FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

I have the honour to inform you that your letter dated 24 February 2000 (S/2000/166) concerning your proposed arrangements to provide for reasonable expenses related to the Hajj pilgrimage to be met by funds in the escrow account established by Security Council resolution 986 (1995) has been brought to the attention of the members of the Council. The members of the Council have held consultations on the matter and have also considered your statement of implementation dated 1 March 2000 (S/2000/166, annex).

The Council authorizes you to proceed with the necessary arrangements regarding the Hajj pilgrimage outlined in the statement of implementation as proposed by you.

(Signed) Anwarul Karim CHOWDHURY
President of the Security Council

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